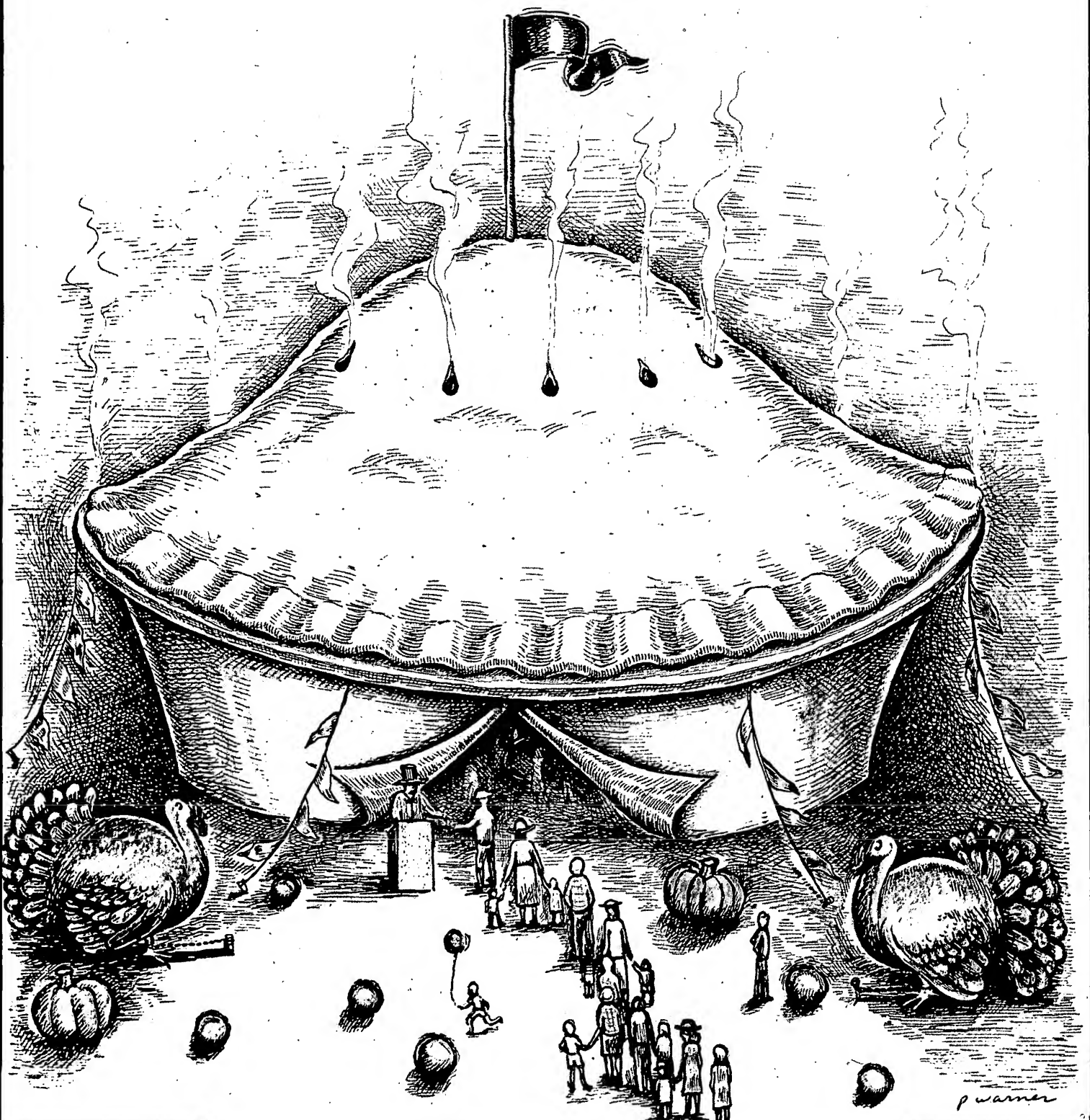


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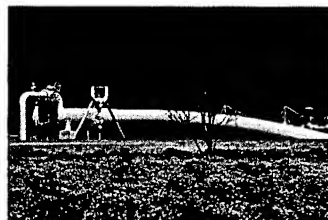
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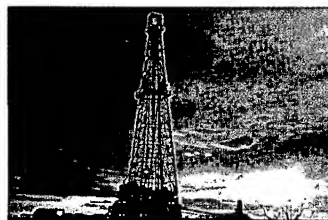
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## THE COVER

It's all happening under the big mincemeat top this Thanksgiving, and cover illustrator Pat Warner has captured some of the super stars as they arrive for the season's biggest show. This piping hot illustration is Pat's second Clubber contribution. A native Houstonian, Pat moved her studio to New York City two and a half years ago, and has been illustrating for publications such as The New York Times, The London Times, MS. Magazine and Psychology Today since her arrival.

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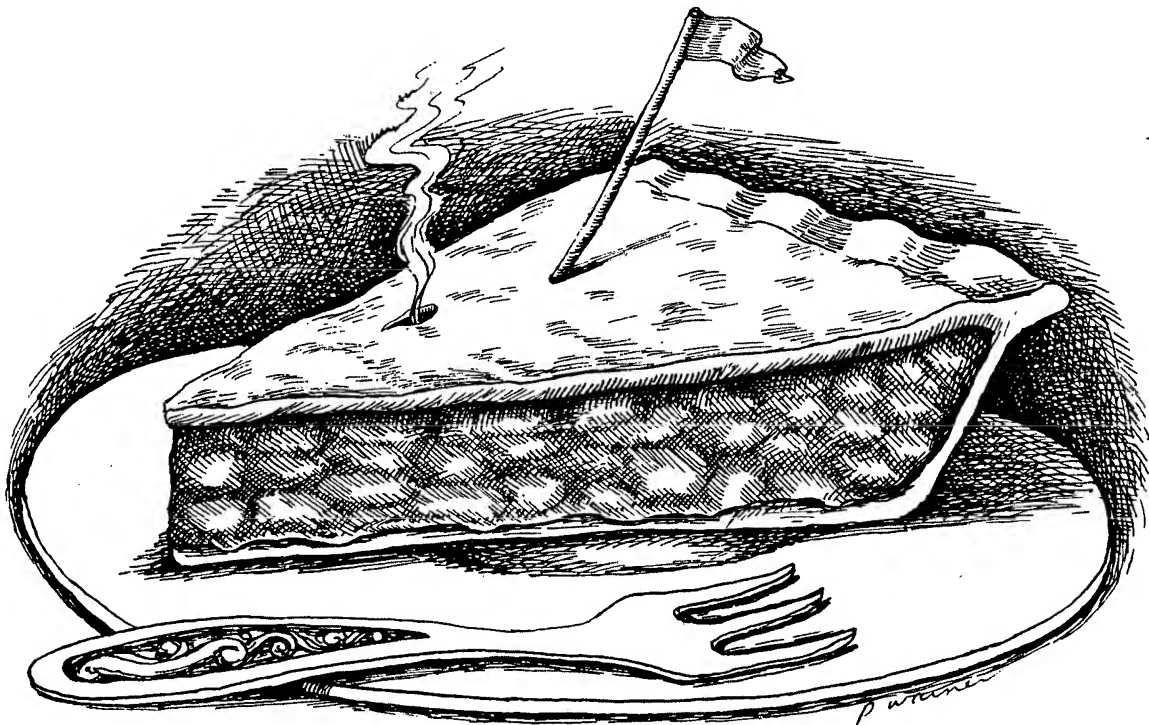


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# Preview of the Month



## **MEN'S FORUM LEADS OFF NOVEMBER ACTIVITIES**

Gen. George S. Brown will make a return visit to the Men's Forum, which has been changed from November 9 to the 10th. Be sure to read our story on page 8 for detailed information on this noted speaker and the men-only Forum.

## **SURPRISE! OUR OKTOBERFEST WILL BE IN NOVEMBER**

The Club likes to do out-of-the ordinary things. We're only kidding, of course . . . it's not really an Oktoberfest . . . but we will be having our German Buffet on November 12 in the Plantation Room, so you can continue your possible recent acquaintance with that yummy German food. Nancy Joy describes what's in store in her column. Read and savor it, make your reservations and be on hand at 6 PM.

## **ALL HANDS ON DECK FOR ALL-AMERICAN BRUNCH**

Our Sunday Brunch on November 13 will feature famous dishes from the farflung regions of our country, all brought together at one time for you to sample. The place to begin is Gourmet Gossip for an advance look at the menu, then to the telephone to make your reservations. 225-1661.

## **ELEGANCE FOR THE SEASON — FURS AND JEWELRY AT LADIES' LUNCHEON**

Two of our town's poshest specialty shops get together for this Ladies' Luncheon. Walzel's will put a sparkle in your eye, with fascinating pieces of jewelry, and the showing by Ralph Rupley Furs will warm your heart. An added attraction will be the eight models\* — all wives of Houston Club members. SuSu Puckett (wife of Member Hal K.) will be the jewelry commentator and Mr. Bob Rupley will do the honors for the furs. Bring along a bunch of friends for this one — it'll be fabulous! 225-1661 for reservations; lunch begins at 12:15 in the Plantation Room.

*\* Mrs. Robert Dilworth, Mrs. Roger Eason, Jr., Mrs. John Echols, Mrs. Steve Grant, Mrs. Frank Horlock, Mrs. Don Jordan, Mrs. Bert Magill, and Mrs. Jack Stalsby.*

## **COWBOYS NEED LOVE, TOO? WELL, SO DO SHRIMP**

Come on down to the Shrimp Shuck and show 'em you care. November's Shuck will be on the 18th in the Texas Room. In addition to

showing your affection for our mountains of ice cold jumbo shrimp, you can cozy up to our oysters on the half shell, and give your warmest regards to our luscious clam chowder, baked beans, and all those marvelous accompaniments. All these will just be waiting for the touch of your hand — don't disappoint them. Reservations, 225-1661.

## **THANKSGIVING DAY BUFFET: GOODBYE, KITCHEN; HELLO, CLUB**

If yours is a family of turkey gobblers but you can't face all the kitchen work necessary for the traditional feast, The Houston Club's Thanksgiving Day Buffet is the greatest thing to come along since ice cubes, sliced bread, and the motorcar. All you will have to do is be in the Texas Room between 11:30 and 2:30, and help yourself to a fantastic array of holiday foods. Nancy Joy's Gourmet Gossip spells it all out for you. Take advantage of a really good thing! Make reservations now for you and yours, at 225-1661.

Don't forget, though, if you can't make the Buffet, the next best thing is The Club's Turkey-to-Go. Check the details for our travelin' turkey on page 9.

## **SATURDAY BUFFET GIVES NOD TO FARE FROM NEW ENGLAND**

We'll give two days to recuperate after Thanksgiving feasting and expect to see you for more feasting in the Plantation Room on Saturday, the 26th. The menu will feature the very best New England dishes (see Gourmet Gossip), the kinds of things you "can't hardly ever" get around Houston by just walking into your corner diner. Try 'em, you'll like 'em, and may even become a devotee. Call 225-1661 and see if we won't be happy to make your reservations.

## **UH FANS, REVEL! THREE GAMES IN HOUSTON THIS MONTH**

The Club will have Pre-Game Festivities on three Saturdays during this third month of the football season, which makes it especially nice for UH boosters. November 5 and 26 are afternoon games, starting at 2 PM, UH/Texas and UH/Rice respectively. Pre-game attitude conditioning will begin at 11 AM, which gives you plenty of time for a leisurely buffet lunch and travel time, too. The November 19 game, UH/Texas Tech, starts at 7:30, so mosey on down to The Club about 4 PM. Call 225-1661 for reservations.

Two new real estate companies have been formed, Easterling Development Company and Easterling Properties Company, with **James M. Easterling, Jr.** as president of both new firms. Formerly of Easterling/Ievering/Reid, Mr. Easterling is an eight-year veteran of Houston real estate and was involved in the development of The Oaks of Woodlake Apartments Phase III, the condominium conversion of the River Oaks Townhomes at 4040 San Felipe, and in the ownership of the Willowick, a high-rise apartment complex. Easterling Development Company presently owns, along with partners, The Oaks of Woodlake Apartments, Phase I, II, and III, 952 units on Tanglewilde. Easterling Properties currently has land holding of over 1200 acres in Harris County and will continue their land investment activities.

**Pat R. Rutherford, Jr.**, has been elected an advisory director of Texas Commerce Bank-Houston. Texas Commerce Bank is the lead bank in the \$5.7 billion Texas Commerce Bancshares, Inc. Mr. Rutherford is chairman and director of Rutherford Oil Corporation and a director and officer of Field International Drilling Company, which is currently engaged in worldwide offshore drilling and exploration activities. Involved in many professional and civic activities, he is a member of the Board of Trustees of Kinkaid School, a member of the Board of Directors of the Geology Foundation of the University of Houston and a trustee of the Rutherford Foundation.

**John W. Allee**, former executive vice president of Gulf Interstate Engineering Co. in Houston, has joined Williams Brothers Engineering Co. in Tulsa as a senior vice president.

**John D. McLain**, manager of engineering has been promoted to vice president-engineering for WellTech, Inc.

**J. W. Hershey**, board chairman of American Commercial Lines, Inc., has been



Easterling



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elected to head the National Waterways Conference, Inc.

**Joseph V. Quigley**, planning-vice president for Gulf Energy & Minerals Co., has moved over to Gulf Refining & Marketing Co. in the same capacity.

**Louis F. Kihneman, Jr.**, has been named general manager of Mobil Oil Corp.'s Houston exploration and production division.

**Herbert Allen**, retired board chairman of Cameron Iron Works, received the highest honor accorded in the field of petroleum mechanical engineering. The Petroleum Division of the American Society of Mechanical Engineers gave its top award to Mr. Allen "for distinguished and meritorious achievement in the field of petroleum engineering". He received a unique trophy featuring a symbolic oil drop sculpted of bronze and mounted on a walnut base.

**Stephan D. Chipman** has been elected a vice president and manager of the Executive/Professional Banking Department of the Bank of the Southwest.

**H. Fred Schoneberg** has joined First General Realty Corp. as president and member of the board of directors. He has been a partner in charge of the Houston Tax Division for Arthur Anderson & Co.

**Joseph A. McCue** has been appointed senior vice president and representative for the Barclays office which opened in Houston recently. Barclays is the largest British banking group with assets of \$33 billion.

First Continental Life Group, Inc., of Houston has acquired 75 per cent of the outstanding shares of Ideal National Insurance Co. of Salt Lake City. The Houston firm acquired 371,560 shares as a result of its tender offer. **J. W. Smelley**, president of First Continental Life, has been elected president and a member of the board of directors of Ideal National. Also named to the Utah firm's board was **Fentress Bracewell**, Houston attorney and chairman of First Continental. Mr. Smelley said the acquisition of Ideal National increased the amount of insurance in force for First Continental to in excess of \$1 billion.

**Theodoric C. Bland, Jr.**, has been elected president of First City Bank-Bellevue.

**William B. Hudson** has been named president and a member of the board of Alamo National Bank in San Antonio. He previously was senior vice president and manager of the Commercial Banking Division of Bank of the Southwest.

**A. J. Gallerano**, operating vice president of public affairs for Foley's, has been named regional vice president of the Texas Retailers Association (TRA). Mr. Gallerano is currently president of the Houston Retail Merchants Association. He serves as a member of the Activities Committee of The Houston Club.

**Neal O. Wade, Jr.**, administration vice president, has been named group vice president for administration for Pennzoil Co. He is responsible for public, personnel and employee relations; environmental, safety and health affairs; corporate security; aviation and administration services.

**Joseph R. Bienvenue, Jr.**, senior vice president, administrative services, of Bank of the Southwest, has been elected president of the Houston chapter of Financial Executives Institute. Other officers include Houston Club members **Leonard W. Groce**, vice president and **Donald R. Jablonowski**, treasurer.

## Camera a la Carte



These three gentlemen were caught with forks in mid-air. All with Charles Wrightsman Co., they are, from left, Larry Lenz, William E. Will, and Rudolph Netek.



This is a very frank get-together. From left, we have here L. B. Griffin, City Councilman Frank Mancuso, Councilman Frank Mann, and Frank Russell.



The scene: the Men's Grill. Time: lunch, naturally. Clockwise from left, Ray Winstead, J. M. Curran, Jr., W. O. Catterton, Hugh M. Patterson, Sam E. Dunnam, Aubrey Fariss, George C. Francisco, Jr., and Davis Wallace.



Again in the Men's Grill, here's a quartet, all of whom are in the oil industry: H. H. Steele of MPS Production Co., W. J. Bryan of Trinity Mud Co., W. R. Godsey, independent oil operator, and C. F. Maginnis, Lago Petroleum Co.

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# General George S. Brown



## Returns for Men's Forum November 10

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In July 1950, soon after the outbreak of the Korean War, General Brown took command of the 62nd Troop Carrier Group, McCord Air Force Base, and in May 1952, he joined the Fifth Air Force at its Headquarters in Seoul as Director for Operations.

General Brown became a full general in August 1968 and was given command of the Seventh Air Force based in Viet Nam. At the same time, he became Deputy Commander for Air Operations, U.S. Military Assistance Command Vietnam (MACV).

As Seventh Air Force Commander, his responsibilities included Air Force combat strike, air support and air defense operations in Southeast Asia. As Deputy Commander, Air Operations, MACV, he was advisor on all matters pertaining to tactical air support and coordinator for the Republic of Vietnam and U.S. air operations in the MACV area of responsibility.

General Brown has held many other important posts during his long career. On completing the National War College in 1957, he became Executive to the Chief of Staff, U.S. Air Force. In June 1959 he was appointed Military Assistant to the Deputy Secretary of Defense, and later became Military Assistant to the Secretary of Defense.

In 1964, he was chosen to organize Joint Task Force II, a Joint Chiefs of Staff unit formed at Sandia Base, New Mexico to

test weapons systems of all the military services.

From 1966 to 1968, General Brown served as Assistant to the Chairman, Joint Chiefs of Staff. He was appointed in 1970 as Commander, Air Force Systems Command, based at Andrews Air Force Base.

General Brown is a command pilot and has been awarded many decorations and service awards, notable among them the Distinguished Service Cross, Defense Distinguished Service Medal, Distinguished Service Medal (Air Force) with three oak leaf clusters, Silver Star, Legion of Merit with two oak leaf clusters, Distinguished Flying Cross with one oak leaf cluster, Bronze Star Medal, Air Medal with three oak leaf clusters, Joint Service Commendation Medal, and Army Commendation Medal.

General Brown's talk for the Forum will pertain to issues related to national security.

At his initial appearance before the Men's Forum in October 1976, General Brown's audience filled the Texas Room, and this month's event is expected to be no less popular. Make your reservations by returning the reply card mailed to members or by telephone, 225-1661.

The Men's Forum begins at noon sharp with a seated luncheon, followed immediately by General Brown's talk. There will be a brief question period, and the session will adjourn promptly at 1:30. The cost for members and their male guests (no ladies, please) is \$6.00.

General George S. Brown, Chairman of the Joint Chiefs of Staff, Department of Defense, will make his second appearance at the Men's Forum, reset for November 10 from the original date of November 9.

General Brown became Chairman of the Joint Chiefs in July 1974. He had previously held the position of Chief of Staff, United States Air Force. His military career has spanned three and one-half decades and three wars.

After General Brown graduated from West Point in 1941, he began flying training at Pine Bluff, Arkansas and received his pilot wings at Kelly Field, Texas in 1942, and became a second lieutenant.

In August 1942, he joined the Eighth Air Force in England as a member of the 93rd Bombardment Group. He served in various positions with the Group, lastly as executive officer. He was appointed Assistant Operations Officer of the Eighth's 2nd Air Division in May 1944.

General Brown was a participant in the famous low-level bombing raid against the German-controlled oil refineries at Ploesti, Rumania, August 1, 1943. Then a major, he assumed command when the lead plane and 10 others were lost, and led the battered 93rd back to its temporary base in

Everybody is stepping lively around The Club these Fall days, and Texas Room Headwaiter James Nolly is certainly no exception. In fact, he's done some very fancy footwork indeed keeping everything running smoothly for lunching Clubbers in that room. Nevertheless, he didn't fail to make note of some participants for this column, to wit: **Walter P. Zivley**, partner in Liddell, Sapp, Zivley & Brown; **Donald H. Gartner, Jr.**, senior vice president of San Jacinto Savings Association; **Richard E. Stoll**, area manager of Customer Technology for U.S. Steel Corp.; **John G. Yeager**, president of Oxford Petroleum, Inc.; **Harden F. Wittig**, president of Fowler & McVitie, Inc.; **Aaron J. Martin**, general manager of Manufacturing Plans & Analysis for Shell Oil Co.; Cameron Iron Works Consultant **I. M. Baker**; Geologist & Engineer **Cyrus D. Cantrell, Jr.**; **William H. Dwyer, Jr.**, regional manager of Graver Tank & Mfg. Co.; **Drexel R. Martin**, commercial sales general manager of Shell Oil Co.; **Joseph C. Spalding**, Assistant General Counsel of Shell Oil Co.; **John P. Noel, Jr.**, vice president of Petrochemical Division for Gulf Oil Chemical Co.; **Van Robert Hoisington**, senior vice president of Texas Commerce Bank; Attorney **John T. Hooper**; **Joseph S. Wilwerding**, finance manager of Chemical Products for Shell Oil Co.; **John C. Capshaw**, senior vice president of Entex, Inc.; **Max P. Watson**, senior vice president of United Gas Pipe Line Co.; **Robert Eugene Miller**, audit manager for Arthur Andersen & Co.; **M. Fred Owen** of Pennzoil Co.; **Walter A. Franz**, manager of Arthur Andersen & Co.; **Jack V. A. Aldred**, vice president of Diamond M Co.; **Don A. Sanders**, senior vice president of E. F. Hutton & Co., Inc.; **Philip E. Leone**, partner in Peat, Marwick, Mitchell & Co.; **Sam J. Jeffrey**, senior vice president, treasurer & controller of Entex, Inc.; **Thomas H. Lee**, partner in Foreman, Dyess, Prewett, Rosenberg & Henderson; **Mahon P. Hilbun**, manager of national accounts for Visco Division, Nalco Chemical Co., Sugar Land, Texas; **Bobby J. Griffin**, sales vice president of Atwood Oceanics, Inc.; Pennzoil Co. Vice President **Robert G. Bryan**; Senior Attorney **James M. Dunnam** of The Superior Oil Co.; **C. Daniel Jones**, senior vice president of Highland Resources, Inc.; **John H. Smither**, partner in Vinson & Elkins; **Raymond A. Van Eaton**, general manager & trustee of Mills Bennett Estate; **James E. Haynes**, senior vice president of United Gas Pipe Line Co.; and **Samuel C. Berry**, vice president of production for Roy M. Huffington, Inc.

And the list of Texas Room trenchermen goes on and on: **A. Maurice E. Butler**, senior vice president & trust officer of Texas Commerce Bank N.A.; **Gene Paul Morrell**, senior vice president of United Gas Pipe Line Co.; **Jerry M. Armstrong**, partner in Arthur Andersen & Co.; **Don D. Jordan**, president of Houston Lighting & Power Co.; **Alonzo B. Rivers**, vice president of Rotan Mosle, Inc.; **Norbert N. Buchsbaum**, general manager of engineering for Gulf Oil Corp., Gulf Science and Technology; **Robert H. Parsley**, partner in Butler, Binion, Rice, Cook & Knapp; **I. David Bufkin**, president of Texas Eastern Gas Pipeline Co.; **Norman M. Gaetz**, senior vice president of Texas Commerce Bank N.A.; **Edward Hebert Austin, Jr.**, vice president of Drexel, Burnham & Lambert; **Duane Howard Neal**, vice president of First City National Bank; **Harold Frederick Weddle**, assistant general manager of Intermodal Sales & Services for Southern Pacific Transportation Co.; **John C. Booth, Jr.**, partner in Peat, Marwick, Mitchell & Co.; **George W. Oprea, Jr.**, executive vice president of Houston Lighting & Power Co.; Galveston-Houston Co. President **Nathan M. Avery**; **E. Emerson Galloway**, general manager of Gas Dept. for Texaco Inc.; and **Weyman W. Crawford**, assistant general manager of exploration for Texasgulf, Inc.

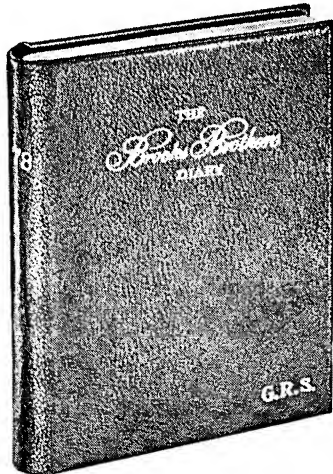
And in the Men's Grill, Headwaiter Wilburn Smith was seriously considering strapping on roller skates on several recent days, but he, too, did not fail in his duty to spot faces in the crowds and relay the appropriate names to the editors. Here are a few of those names: **Charles R. Church**, land manager of Trans Ocean Oil, Inc.; **Walter Michael Duer**, manager of Peat, Marwick, Mitchell & Co.; **William Dean Horton**, assistant to senior vice president of Texaco Inc.; **E. Lawrence Craig**, vice president of administration for Gulf Refining & Marketing Co.; **S. D. Armspiger**, vice president of Underwood, Neuhaus & Co., Inc.; **John N. Black**, manager of economics & planning for General Crude Oil Co.; **Jack McCloskey**, sales manager of Nalco Chemical Co.; **Arnold J. Cahill**, marketing manager of Gulf Oil Chemicals Co.; **Jeral J. Crowder**, owner of Crowder & Associates; **James M. Slator, III**, partner in Slator & Prendergast; Oil & Gas Consultant **Duane J. Fritz**; **James M. Bibee**, vice president, exploration, Gulf Energy & Minerals Co.; Attorney **Joe Louis**; **William C. Brown**, vice president of Underwood, Neuhaus & Co., Inc.; **James Franklin Hurley**, senior vice president & trust officer of River Oaks Bank & Trust Co.; **Wm. Geo Richards** of Austin, Texas; **Patrick B. Collins**, partner in Coopers & Lybrand; **Otto Nachlas**, president of Otto Nachlas & Associates, Inc.; **Damon Wells, Jr.** of Damon Wells Interest; Investor **W. R. Lloyd, Jr.**; Oil Operator **Dan J. Harrison, Jr.**; **Don E. Roose, Jr.**, audit manager of Arthur Andersen & Co.; **Norris W. Barry**, account executive of Merrill, Lynch, Pierce, Fenner & Smith; **Ben H. Schnapp, Jr.**, president of San Jacinto Drilling Co.; **Orrien R. Smith** of Orrien R. Smith Investments; **Burton E. McCann**, marketing manager of Dowell Division of Dow Chemical Co.; **D. A. Cammack**, sales representative for Land & Marine Rental; **M. F. Brown**, president of Houston Oil Well Service Co.; **W. Rex Parks**, vice president of sales for Kendanis Industries International, Inc.; Oil Operator **Haden J. Upchurch**; **John L. Leimbrook**, district sales manager of Jones & Laughlin Steel Corp.; **Graham B. Boone, Jr.**, president of Boone Advertising, Inc.; **Richard Garfield Nemmer**, executive vice president-group of Philadelphia Life Insurance Co.; **Muryl D. Olinger**, director of Texas for Arthur Young & Co.; **Michael Dwight Boxberger**, senior vice president of Capital National Bank; and Independent Oil Operator **James W. Porter**.

## Headwaiter's Report

In the Barber Shop, The Club's Super Scissormen report close to full occupancy of late. Their appointment books reflect the names of these notables: **Donald K. Rice**, vice president of Advest Co.; **Terry P. McDaniel** of Rotan Mosle, Inc.; **George A. Butler**, senior partner in Butler, Binion, Rice, Cook & Knapp; **Max Garrett**, president of Garrett & Letbetter, Inc., Attorneys; **Robert Scott**, vice president of Gulf Science and Technology Co.; **J. B. Saunders**, owner of Saunders Industries; **Jack W. Youngling**, vice president of The Bovaird Supply Co.; **Geo. T. Morse, Jr.**; **Lovett R. Smith, Jr.** of International Executive Consultants; **Jack S. Blanton**, president of Scurlock Oil Co.; **Alva Carlton**; **John A. Cole**, vice president of Texas Commerce Bank N.A.; and **Robert H. Sheridan**, vice president and branch officer manager of Rotan Mosle, Inc.

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At the Men's Forum on Sept. 13, Former Governor Kit Bond of Missouri addressed The Houston Club membership and guests in the Texas Room.



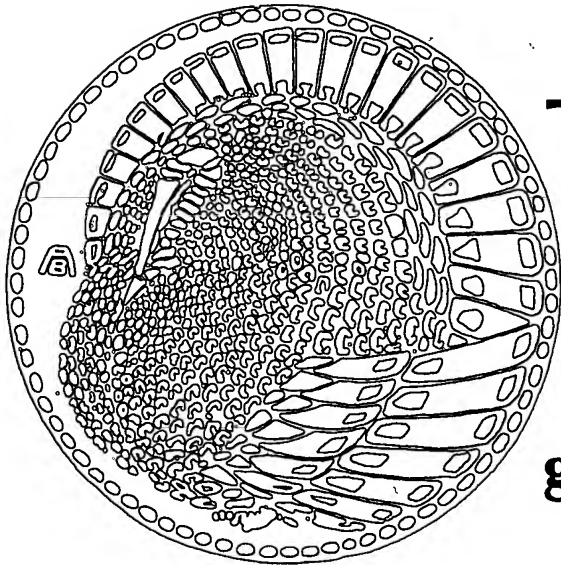
On hand to hear Gov. Bond's talk were, from left, Winston Glenn Smith and Marvin E. Smith, both with Austral Oil Co., Inc., and Harold Kerr of Southern Natural Gas Co.



Joseph C. Spalding, general counsel for Shell Oil Co., brought along two guests from Shell's corporate ranks. They are S. A. Lackey, left, and D. E. Cannon.



A personal friend of Gov. Bond, Les Ho of Leslie & Co., at left, was in the audience for this Men's Forum, along with Scott Caven of Goldman Sacks & Co. Here they chat with Gov. Bond.



# TURKEY-TO-GO

**For an at-home  
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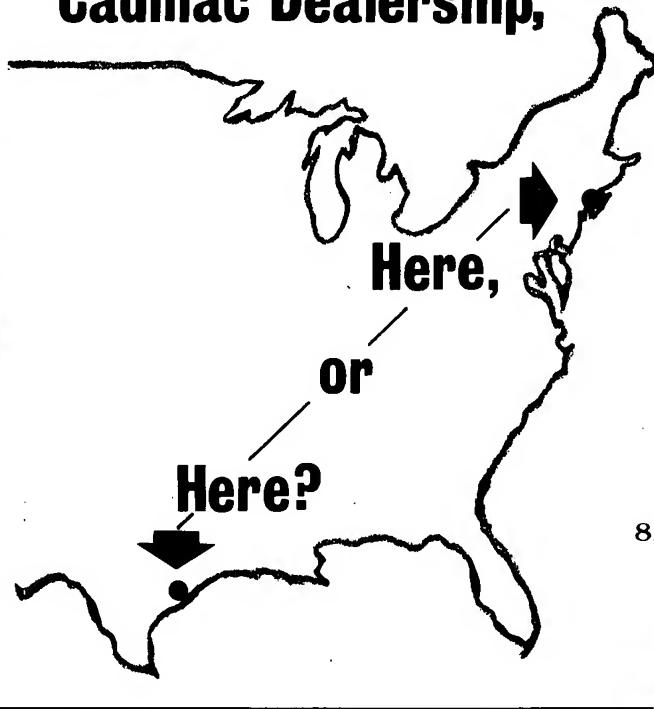
tional quart of dressing, a quart of giblet gravy, a quart of our own whole cranberry sauce, and two bottles of Rhine wine which we specially select for you. Just put your own choice of vegetables with that, plus your own home-baked bread or rolls, take your seat at table, and watch the whole thing disappear as if by magic.

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famous desserts are available, too — gingerbread at \$3.25 a loaf, or our superb whiskey pecan cake, at \$6.50 for a seven-inch round or \$9.50 for a 10-inch round.

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*This is a very serious discussion being carried on by Jim Comeaux, left, and Arnie Cahill; both are with Gulf Oil Chemicals Co.*



*The gentlemen at left is Paul Rosenfield of the Dallas Times Herald. He's the luncheon guest of Member Glenn McCarthy, center, and Bill McCarthy.*



*The relaxed demeanor of L. W. Frizzell, left, and Charles McDonald might suggest that they are retired from business, which indeed they are. Mr. McDonald is from LaJolla, Cal.*



*Vernon Scharfe of United Gas Pipe Line, left, and Bill McIntyre of AMF Tuboscope chose the 1894 Room at The Club for a recent lunchtime.*

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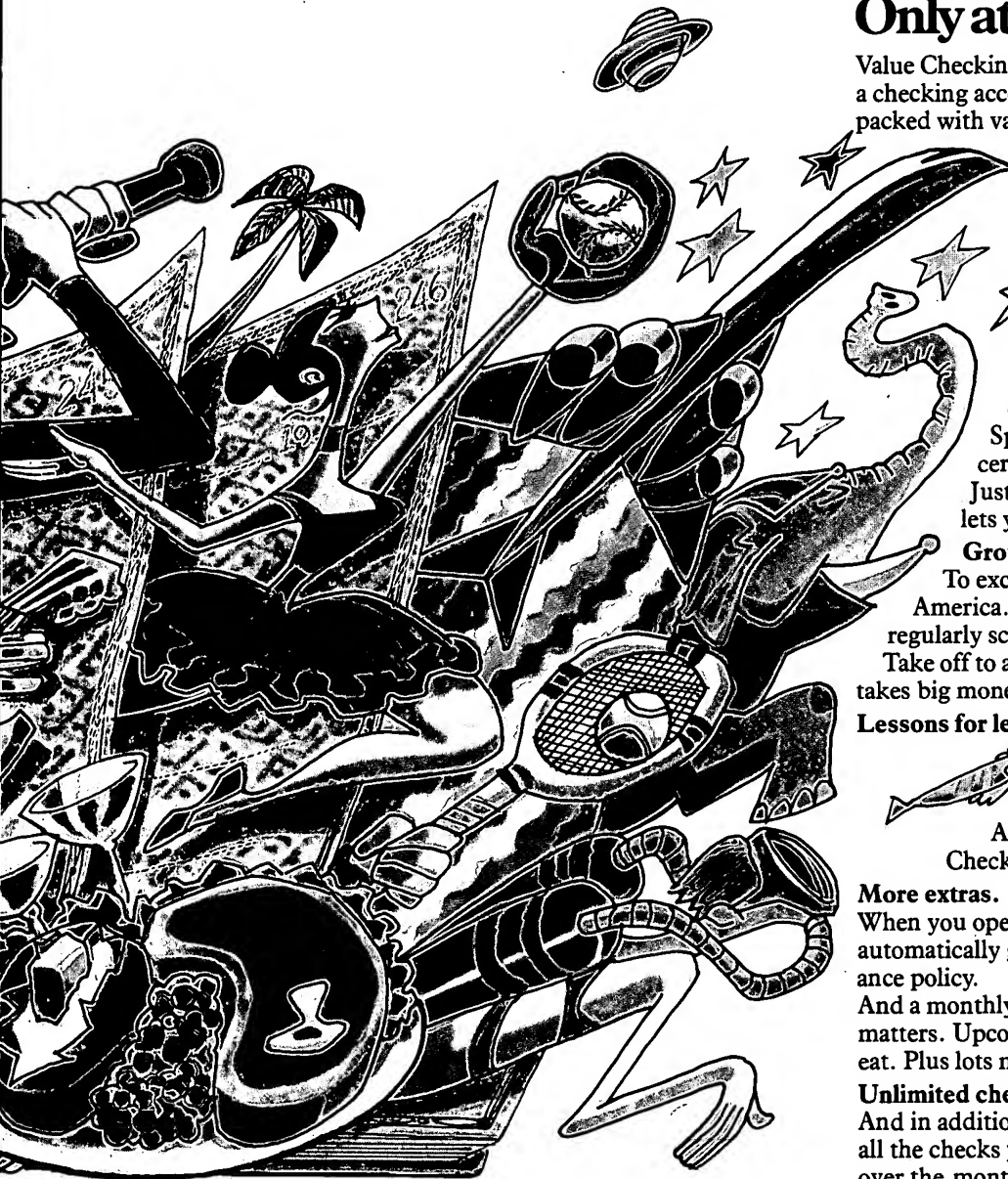
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A pair of aces — left, Wayne Hightower, president of Hightower Oil & Gas Co., and Dan Montgomery, vice president of Seagull Pipe Line Co.



In this congenial-looking twosome we have Robert B. Baldwin, left, of the Main Corp., and Grover Geiselman, independent oilman and a past president of The Club.



Member George W. Gist, on the right, senior vice president of Wilson Industries, Inc., was lunchtime host to W. G. Taylor, who is retired from Texaco Inc.



Al Martin is the photogenic fellow on the left. He's with CF&I Steel Corp. Member Jim Voss, area tubular manager for Mid-Continent Supply Co., is at right.



Notre Dame Club of Houston president Jim Garrity, center, hosted lunch recently for Hugh Devore, left, former Notre Dame and Houston Oiler coach, and Mike Gleason, right, board chairman of that alumni club.



C. C. McKee, left, and W. H. Blackledge demonstrate how to approach lunch properly — relaxed and easy. Both are Club members and are with Gulf Oil.



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# THIRTY-SIX NEW MEMBERS

**Knox M. Broom, Jr.** becomes a new full resident member this month, receiving the transferred membership of T. L. Gibson. Mr. Broom is vice president of Brown & Root, Inc. He is a member of many scientific societies. A native of Jackson, Miss., he holds a BS in math and chemistry from the University of Southern Mississippi, and both an MS and PhD in nuclear chemistry from the University of Arkansas. Mr. Broom and his wife, Margaret, have two children — Lyn, 14, and Shea, 7. Their home is at 62 River Plantation Drive in Conroe.

**Hiroshi Hohsho**, a new full resident member this month, is chief representative for the Dai-Ichi Kangyo Bank, Ltd. He is a member of the Japan International Trade Association of Houston, and the World Trade Association. Mr. Hohsho holds a BA in economics from Waseda University, Tokyo, and has been with his banking firm for 20 years. He has lived in New York and Chicago before coming to Houston. Mr. Hohsho and his wife, Midori, who holds a BA in English literature from Japan Women's University, live at 319 Wilchester. They have two children — Chizu, 13, and Hirofumi, 10.

**David G. Pope** is a new full resident Clubber this month through the transferred membership of W. I. Webster. Mr. Pope is managing partner in Arthur Young & Co., and is a member of the Texas Society of CPAs and the Assn. for Corporate Growth. A native of Cameron, Texas, he received his BBA from the University of Texas. Mr. Pope and his wife, Nelda, have two children — Dianna, 13, and Neil, age 12. Their home is at 5515 Pebble Springs.

**G. Kyle Guinn**, a new junior member this month, is a manager with Arthur Young & Co., and a member of the national, state and local CPA groups, and the Greater Houston Tax Forum. He is a native of Frederick, Oklahoma, and took his BBA from the University of Texas, plus further graduate work there. Mr. Guinn and his wife, Hennen, have one son, Clay, 3 years old. The family lives at 2726 Cason.

**Stephen D. Chipman** receives the transferred membership of Fred E. Wiggins to become a new full resident member of The Club. Mr. Chipman is vice president of the Bank of the Southwest. A native of Boston, he holds a BA in foreign affairs from the University of Virginia. Mr. Chipman and his wife, Martha ("Candy"), live at 879 Country Lane and have two children — Stephen S., 6, and Sands, 2 years old.



Broom



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**Lewis R. Pomeroy, III** is vice president of Daniel Oil Co., and is a new full resident member this month. He is a native of Beaumont and is a graduate of Texas A&M with a BS in petroleum engineering. Mr. Pomeroy is a member of SPE/AIME and APES. He and his wife, Jane, have three children — Peter, 22; Susan, 20; and Andrew, 11. Their home is at 12506 Woodthorpe.

**W. Wayne Hardin** is a new full resident member this month and is president of National Exploration Co. A native of Vinton, Louisiana, he holds a BS in petroleum engineering from Louisiana State University, a law degree from South Texas College of Law, and attended the Harvard Business School Program for Management Development. Mr. Hardin is a member of the Houston Bar Association and IPAA. He has two daughters — Cynthia Ann, 16, and Sandra Louise, 15, and lives at 2243-B West Alabama.

**Ronald W. Wuensch** is a new full resident member of The Houston Club and is a manager with Peat, Marwick, Mitchell & Co. He is a member of the national, state and local CPA organizations. Mr. Wuensch is a native Houstonian and a graduate of Baylor University with a BBA. His wife, Joyce, an Iowan, is assistant principal at Thornwood Elementary School and a doctoral candidate at UH. The Wuensches live at 10211 Cedarcreek.

**Vincent E. Breland** is a new full resident member this month through the transferred membership of R. E. Milne. Mr. Breland is vice president-marketing with Thos. P. Reidy, Inc. He is a native Houstonian and holds a BS in economics from the University of Houston. He and his wife, Shirley, also a Houston native and a UH graduate, live at 5555 Doliver Drive, and have two sons — Edward, 22, and Bradford, 17.



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**Ronald E. Davis, Jr.**, a new junior Clubber this month, is a manager with Peat, Marwick, Mitchell & Co., and is a member of the Texas Society of CPAs and the Houston Chapter of CPAs. Mr. Davis and his wife, Synphia, are both natives of New Orleans, and both earned BS degrees in accounting from Louisiana State University. Their home is at 2834 Bellefontaine.

**Tommy O. Gilstrap** is a new full resident member this month through the transferred membership of Gerald J. Casler. Mr. Gilstrap is regional production superintendent for Champlin Petroleum Co. and is a member of API, AIME, and NGOA. He holds degrees in petroleum engineering, chemistry and business from Texas A&I University, and is a native of Kingsville. Mr. Gilstrap and his wife, Corinne, live at 11622 Lakeside Place Drive, and have four grown children.

**Fred E. Sommers** is a new junior member this month, and is a manager with Peat, Marwick, Mitchell & Co. He was born in Victoria, Texas, and is a graduate of the University of Texas with a BBA and MBA. Mr. Sommers wife, Robbie, holds a BS from UT and an MA from the University of Houston, both degrees in speech pathology. The couple lives at 2800 Webster in League City.

**Al V. Seymour** is vice president-marketing with Metzdorf Advertising Agency, and is a new resident member of The Club this month. He is a member of many marketing and advertising professional organizations. Mr. Seymour is a native of Beaumont and took his BS in geology from Lamar University. He and his wife, Sue, have four children — Timothy, 23; Cheryl, 19; Melissa, 16; and Jeremy, almost 15. The family home is at 8107 Burning Hill.

**Glenn H. McCarthy, Jr.** receives the transferred membership of his father to become a new full resident member this month. Mr. McCarthy is an attorney, a partner in the firm of Curry & McCarthy, and is a member of the Houston, Texas and American Bar Associations. He is a native Houstonian and received his BBA from Sam Houston State University and his JD from South Texas College of Law. Mr. McCarthy and his wife, Frances, live at 11309 Iris Lee Lane. They have one son, Glenn, 2 years old.

**Thomas P. Callahan** is a manager with Peat, Marwick, Mitchell & Co. and is a new junior member this month. He is a member of AICPA, and the New York and Texas Societies of CPAs and is a registered CPA in Arkansas, New York and Texas. Born in Hot Springs, Ark., Mr. Callahan is a Notre Dame graduate and earned his MBA from the Wharton School of the University of Pennsylvania. Mrs. Callahan (Francis) holds a BS in math from St. Mary's College and an MS in chemistry from Rice University, and was an environmental specialist with the Bureau of Land Management in New York before the Callahan's recent move here. The couple lives at 2308 Glenhaven.

**H. Wayne Hodge** is the recipient of the transferred membership of Nevil M. Proes, and becomes a new full resident member of The Club. Mr. Hodge is vice president of Texas Eastern Gas Pipeline Co. and is a member of the American Society of Mechanical Engineers. He is a native of Alabama and took his BS in mechanical engineering from Southern Methodist University. Mr. Hodge and his wife, Alice, reside at 14430 Broadgreen. They have two sons — John Warren, 18, and James Robert, 14 years old.

**Bruce B. Mack** is a new junior member this month and is tax manager with Peat, Marwick, Mitchell & Co. He was born in Detroit. Mr. Mack holds a BS and law doctorate from Wayne State University and an LLM from Georgetown University. He is a member of the Texas Society of CPAs and Houston Bar Association. Mr. Mack and his wife, Janet, have two daughters — Barbara, 12, and Nancy, 11. The family lives at 14926 Parkville.

**Frank Ronald Qualls**, a new full resident member this month, is division land manager for General Crude Oil Co. He was born in Cisco, Texas, and earned his BBA from McMurry College and his MBA from Texas Christian University. Mr. Qualls is a member of the Houston and American Associations of Petroleum Landmen. Mrs. Qualls (Susan) is principal of Benfer Elementary School of the Klein ISD. The Qualls' home is at 13418 Hoston Hills Drive.

# THIRTY-SIX NEW MEMBERS

(Continued)

**Wayne R. Rodgers** becomes a new full resident member of The Houston Club this month. He is governmental affairs director for Brown & Root, Inc. A native of Munday, Texas, he earned his BA and law degree from the University of Texas, and is a member of the American, Texas and Houston Bar Associations. Mr. Rodgers and his wife, Rebecca Joan, have four children — Gordon, 23; Claudia, 21; Becky, 19, and Dorothy, 17. Their home is at 1600 Mustang Trail in Humble.

**B. Lynn Beaird** is a new full resident member of The Houston Club this month. Mr. Beaird is associate actuary with The Wyatt Company, and is a member of the Society of Actuaries, American Academy of Actuaries, and Actuaries Club of the Southwest. He is a native Texan, and took his BA in mathematics at the University of Texas. Mr. Beaird and his wife, Claudette, have six children, Jennifer and Jeanette, 16-year old twins; Randall, 14; Melanie, 13; Melissa, 12, and Jason, 9. The family lives in Thompsons, Texas.

**Frank Raymond Watkins** has received the transferred membership of M. R. J. Wyllie to become a new full resident member of The Club. Mr. Watkins is assistant comptroller with Gulf Energy & Minerals Co. A Pennsylvanian, he received his BS in accounting and economics from the University of Pittsburgh. Mr. Watkins and his wife, Lorraine, have three grown children. They live at 115 Blue Willow.

**Paul Milton Anderson** becomes a new full resident member this month, through the transferred membership of Frank A. Boyd. Mr. Anderson is director, corporate planning, with Texas Eastern Corp., and is a native of Richland, Washington. He received his BS in mechanical engineering from the University of Washington and his MBA from Stanford University. Mr. Anderson and his wife, Jill, have two daughters — Wendy, 9; and Heather, 5 years old. The family lives at 13215 Sea Island.

**Quincy Thomas Hinton, Jr.** is a new full resident member of The Club this month, and is senior professional landman with General Crude Oil Co. He is a member of the Louisiana State Bar Assn., and the American and Houston Associations of Petroleum Landmen. Mr. Hinton is a native of Lake Charles, and earned his BA at McNeese University there, and his law degree at Loyola University. Mr. Hinton and his wife, Glynda, have three children — Christopher, 10; Benjamin, 7; and Catherine, 3. The family lives at 3311 Riverlawn Drive in Kingwood.



*Rodgers*



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**Willis Neal Ross** has received the transferred membership of Bill Kemp and becomes a new full resident member this month. Mr. Ross is regional manager, Texas Gulf Coast, for Tri-State Oil Tool Industries, Inc. He was born in Carthage, Texas. Mr. Ross and his wife, Joyce, live at 2311 Fir Grove in Kingwood. They have two sons — Robert, 22, and Richard, 21.

**Starr Kealhofer III**, a new junior member of The Club this month, is vice president of First City National Bank, and is a member of the American Institute of Banking and Robert Morris Associates. Mr. Kealhofer is a native of Austin, and received his BBA in economics and finance from the University of Houston. He and his wife, B. J., live at 10043 Del Monte.

**James R. Cast** is a new junior member this month. He is a manager with Peat, Marwick, Mitchell & Co., and is a member of AICPA, the Texas Society and Houston Chapter of CPA's. He was born in Wisconsin, but was raised in Baton Rouge. Mr. Cast is a graduate of Austin College and received his MBA from the University of Pennsylvania. Mr. Cast and his wife, Becky, live at 12620 Broken Bough with their young son, Jeff, almost two years old.

**Joe M. Daniel, Jr.** becomes a new full resident member this month. He is manager of operations for the Cabot Corp. and is a member of SPE, API, GPA, and IPAA. A native of Kerens, Texas, Mr. Daniel holds a BS in petroleum engineering from the University of Texas and attended the Executive Management Program at Stanford. His wife, Peggy, holds a BS in geology from Texas Christian University and teaches earth sciences in the Spring Branch School District. The Daniels have two grown sons and live at 5020 Longmont.



Elkins



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**James A. Elkins, III** is a new junior member of The Club this month, and is affiliated with the Morgan Guaranty Trust Co. Mr. Elkins holds a BA from Princeton University and an MBA from the University of Texas. He is a native Houstonian and currently lives in New York City.

**Thomas D. Farver** becomes a new junior member this month. He is controller for The Boston Company of Texas, and is a member of the National Association of Accountants. He is a native of Duluth. Mr. Farver took his degree in business from the University of Houston, and has done graduate work in international commerce. He resides at 10010 Memorial Drive.

**James G. Brannon**, a new full resident member of The Club, is a manager with Peat, Marwick, Mitchell & Co., and is a member of the Houston Chapter of CPA's, Houston Bar Assn., and Petroleum Accountants Society. He has received the transferred membership of J. C. Davenport. Mr. Brannon is a native of Laredo, and earned his BA in economics from Austin College and his JD from South Texas College of Law. He and his wife, Patricia, have one daughter, Lisa, 15, and live at 11214 Lacewood Lane.

**James B. Hipple** becomes a new full resident Clubber this month through the transferred membership of J. F. Dunwiddie. Mr. Hipple is treasurer with Texas Eastern Corp., and is a member of AICPA, Louisiana and Texas Society of CPAs, Institute of Internal Auditors, FEI, and American Society of Corporate Secretaries. He was born in Pierre, S.D. and earned his BS in accounting from Louisiana State University. Mr. Hipple and his wife, Jeanette, have two daughters — Carolyn, 18, and Leah, 16. The family's home is at 419 Greenpark.

**James N. (Pat) Flanagan** becomes a new full resident Houston Clubber this month. He is national account manager for the Monsanto Company, and is a member of the Southwest Chemical Association, National Office Management Association, and National Account Management Association. Mr. Flanagan was born in Shreveport, and attended Centenary College in that city. He has five grown children. Mr. Flanagan and his wife, Marjorie, live at 107 Driftwood in Seabrook.

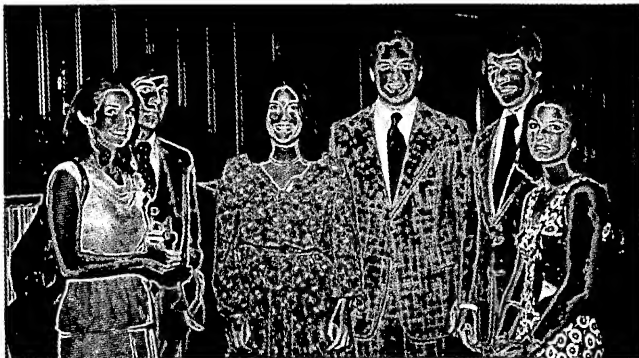
**Joseph A. McCue** becomes a new full resident member of The Club this month, and is senior vice president of Barclays Bank Int'l Ltd. He is a native of Scotland, but is a longtime resident of the US as well. Mr. McCue received his BA from the University of Notre Dame, and his LLB from Fordham Law School. He also attended the London School of Economics and earned an advanced degree from the University of Edinburgh. Mr. McCue and his wife, Patricia, live at 13623 Pebblebrook with their three daughters — Jennifer, 10; Clare, 9; and Amy, 7 years old.

**Maurice Ray Thomasson**, a new full resident member, is vice president-exploration with McCormick Oil & Gas Corp. A native of Columbia, Missouri, he holds a BA, MA and PhD in geology, and is a member of numerous professional groups. He and his wife, Judith, have three daughters — Julie, 19; Laura, 17; and Mary, 15. The Thomasson family lives at 1213 Berthea.

**Conrad B. Jacobson** is regional manager for E. I. duPont de Nemours & Co. and is a new full resident member of The Club this month. He is a member of the American Petroleum Institute and AACC. A native of Tacoma, Mr. Jacobson holds a BS in chemical engineering and a BS in business administration from the University of Colorado. He and his wife, Janice, have two grown children, Judith and Jamie. The Jacobsons live at 11219 Claymore Drive.

**Robert Wayne Payne** receives the transferred membership of Walter S. Hammert, Jr. to become a new full resident Clubber this month. Mr. Payne is a partner in Arthur Anderson & Co., and is a member of the American Institute of CPAs and the National Association of Accountants. A Missouri native, he received his BS in business administration from Central Missouri State University and his MBA from the University of Denver. Mr. Payne and his wife, Katie, live at 13274 Trail Hollow, and have two sons — David Wayne, 18, and John Robert, 15 years old.

## Shrimp Shuck



This young group on hand for shrimp shucking is comprised of, from left, Kathie Dick, Jeff Parsons, Elizabeth Waring, Peter Waring, Host Gary Wright, and Jane Oliver.



This foursome has ample reason to be all smiles — they're at the Shrimp Shuck! Host Maury Curry of Western Lithograph is at left, Mrs. Curry next, with Shell Oil's Bob Dring and Mrs. Dring.

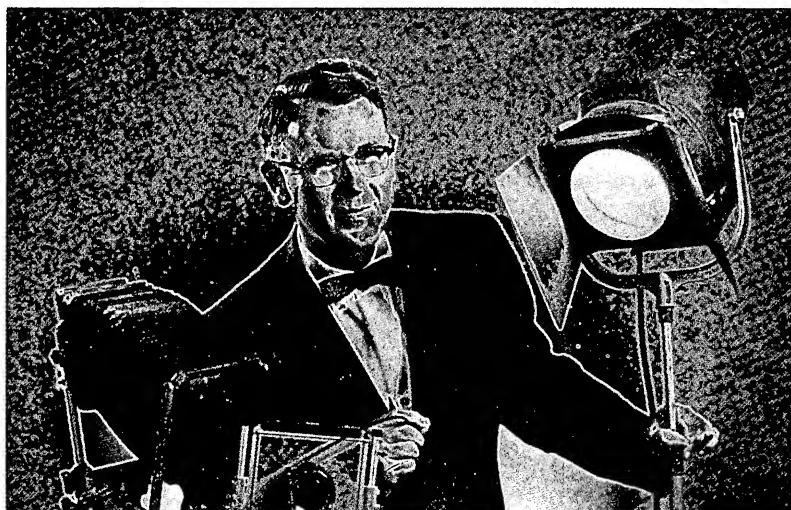


At this table, we have, from left, Jerry Conway, marketing/communications manager of Dresser Industries, Mrs. Theresa Brown, Jean Brown, president of Rives, Dyke/Y&R Inc., and Mrs. Arlene Conway.



Another party of shrimp lovers, these folks are, from left, Mrs. Agnes Marshall, Dr. Robert Marshall, Mrs. Molly Casey, Mrs. Claire Brooks, Member Tom Casey, and Dick Brooks.

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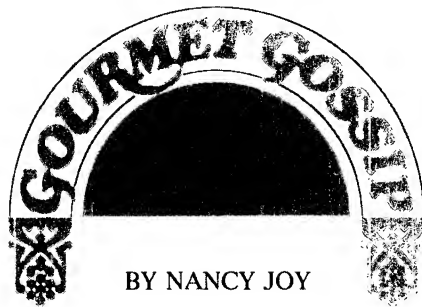
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BY NANCY JOY

If you call us a "turkey" at this time of year we won't get insulted. Your Club is so flooded with turkeys for the holiday feast we're sure we look like a turkey, talk like a turkey and strut like a turkey.

Hundreds of the plump-breasted beauties are being prepared for your Thanksgiving feast which is being celebrated this year on November 24. The buffet line will be open on the 10th floor between 11:30 and 2:30.

We roast between 30 and 40 tom turkeys for the buffet to say nothing of the hundreds of birds we prepare for the Turkey-To-Go boxes (information elsewhere). And there will be 20 prime ribs of beef and a dozen hams with your Club's famous brandied fruit sauce.

The fish item will be broiled Gulf redfish with langoustina sauce sprinkled with toasted almonds. Chef Harvey will add his special touch to the delicious candied yams with rum, honey and pecans. Add some green peas with bacon, whipped potatoes and rutabagas and you'll have your vitamins for the day.

And don't forget the huge bowl of jumbo Gulf shrimp which entices you as you pass down the buffet line.

Yorkshire pudding, cornbread dressing, fresh cranberry sauce and all the other Thanksgiving extras will be on the buffet board. Salads will include a devine molded Gourmet fruit, crisp mixed greens and a melange of fresh fruits.

The bread table centerpiece will be a harvest wagon made of bread and there will be onion rolls, saffron raisin bread, a pull-apart cinnamon loaf, orange frosted lemon quick bread, skinny French bread, soft rolls and petite Kaiser rolls.

Ready for dessert? The traditional pumpkin and mincemeat pies will be on the table and there will be your Club's famous whiskey pecan cake and rum nut cake. At the end of the table we'll set a huge beehive cake you won't be able to resist and your Club's bakery will prepare chocolate meringue cake, brandied black bottom pie, strawberry cheesecake, apple brown betty with hard sauce, lemon pound cake and walnut-peach crepes. And do sample the chilled Daiquiri Souffle.

The Club will come alive with ice carvings, fancy decorated pieces and all the furbelows which make your holiday memorable. This is one of our big holidays so reservations are strongly urged. Adults: \$9.75; child: \$5.25. Call 225-1661.

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We'll warm you up with the hearty dishes of Germany on Saturday, November 12 in the Plantation Room. The German Buffet will be laden with smoked salmon filled with horseradish cream, onion cake, bratwurst, knackwurst, sauerkraut, sauerbraten and potato pancakes.

Oh, there's more . . . pumpernickel bread, fish balls with spinach, German potato salad, tongue and beef salad and Bremen style chicken ragout which has veal, sweetbreads, shrimp and mushrooms added to the poultry. Pick out a German wine from the wine display and enjoy!

Of course there will be Prime rib of beef, jumbo shrimp, fresh fruit salad, mixed green salad and all the other delectable Saturday night specials. \$10.50.

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Wing your way around the states via our All-American Sunday Brunch in the Plantation Room on November 13. The brunch line is open from 10:30 to 2:30 and we'll be featuring foods from several areas.

From California there will be good ol' gold miners' Hang Town Fry, a successful marriage of eggs and oysters. Then help yourself to a batch of nachos, and burritos and barbecued chicken from our own Lone Star state.

Florida will be honored with a molded orange salad and New York with Delmonico potatoes. Codfish cakes with cream-pea sauce are from Boston, and redfish Pontchartrain from our neighbor Louisiana.

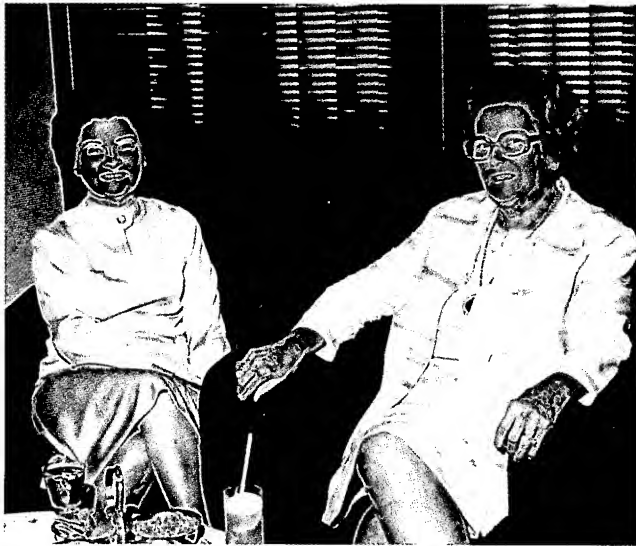
Numerous other surprises await you as well as the usual fruit, juices, omelets, pancakes, roast sirloin, ad infinitum. Invite a covey of friends and make reservations at 225-1661.

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The Saturday after Thanksgiving will bring food from New England to the Plantation Room. Plan a post UH/Rice celebration with friends.

Along with our famous clam chowder, there will be fried scallops, Chatham oyster shortcake and that marvelous "Cape Cod Turkey" which is poached schrod with egg sauce and boiled potatoes and beets and fried salt pork scraps.

Parkerhouse rolls, Rhode Island Johnny Cake, blueberry muffins, pan-fried tomatoes, Boston-baked beans, prime rib of beef, jumbo Gulf shrimp, cole slaw with boiled dressing, fresh little neck clams on the half shell ( flown in from Boston) along with vegetables and salads galore. \$10.75.



Enjoying aperitifs before the luncheon are Mrs. Velma Kreiner and her guest Mildred Jones.

### Battelstein's Ladies' Luncheon



Chances are the conversation was fashion before these ladies noticed the cameraman. From the left are: Mrs. Steven S. Jones, Mrs. E. N. Letzerich and their hostess Mrs. F. T. Webster.



Glancing away from the models long enough to be in the limelight are: Ms. Mimi Cunningham, left, Mrs. J. R. Richardson, Mrs. Carol Clark and their hostess Mrs. Charles Brooks.




It's the fearless foursome! Mrs. T. E. Kennerly, left, has managed to gather all "daughters" for the occasion. From the left next to her is her daughter-in-law Mrs. Dan Kennerly, and her daughters Mrs. Bob Royall and Mrs. Mary Marsha Oeland.



Talk about a jovial threesome! Caught with twinkling eyes and friendly smiles are Mrs. E. J. Gracey, left, her daughter Mrs. George DeMontrond, III, right, and Mrs. Bill Farrar, center.



Stopped by the camera. Momentarily interrupted just as they were ready to sample the goodies on their plates are Mrs. Arthur Smalley, left, Mrs. Earl Gilbert and Mrs. John Robinson.

SUNDAY	MONDAY	TUESDAY	WEDNESDAY	THURSDAY	FRIDAY	SATURDAY
		1 Pre-Curtain Menu PlantationRoom6PM By reservation only	2	3	4	5 Plantation Room Buffet 6 - 9:30  Pre-game Festivities UH/Texas 2 PM
		Houston Symphony Michael Tilson Thomas, Conducting Horacio Gutierrez, Piano Jones Hall 8 PM				
6 Sunday Brunch Plantation Room 10:30 - 2 PM	7	8 Election Day	9	10 Men's Forum Gen. Geo. S. Brown Texas Room Noon  Pre-Curtain Menu PlantationRoom6PM By reservation only  Houston Grand Opera "Arabella" Jones Hall 8 PM	11	12 German Buffet Plantation Room 6 - 9:30  Houston Grand Opera "Arabella" American Series Jones Hall 8 PM  Sir Michael Redgrave in Shakespeare's People Music Hall 8 PM
Oilers/Chicago Bears						
13 All-American Brunch Plantation Room 10:30 - 2 PM  Houston Grand Opera "Arabella" Jones Hall 2:30  Yatran Ukrainian Dance Company (SPA) Music Hall 2:30	14 Pre-Curtain Menu PlantationRoom 6PM By reservation only  Houston Grand Opera "Arabella" American Series Jones Hall 7:30	15 Pre-Curtain Menu PlantationRoom 6PM By reservation only  Houston Grand Opefa "Arabella" Jones Hall 8 PM	16 Ladies' Luncheon Walzel's/Rupley's Plantation Room 12:15	17	18 Pre-Curtain Menu PlantationRoom6PM By reservation only  Shrimp Shuck Texas Room 7:30  Houston Grand Opera "Arabella" Jones Hall 8 PM	19 Plantation Room Buffet 6 - 9:30  Pre-game Festivities UH/Texas Tech 7:30
20 Sunday Brunch Plantation Room 10:30 - 2 PM	21 Pre-Curtain Menu Plantation Room 6 PM By reservation only  Houston Symphony Sir Charles Groves, Conducting Juliana Markova, Piano Jones Hall 8 PM	22	23	24 Thanksgiving Buffet Texas Room 11:30 - 2:30	25 Pre-Curtain Menu PlantationRoom6PM By reservation only	26 New England Buffet Plantation Room 6 - 9:30  Pre-game Festivities UH/Rice 2 PM  Eliot Feld Ballet (SPA) Jones Hall 8:30
27 Sunday Brunch Plantation Room 10:30 - 2 PM  Houston Symphony Sir Charles Groves, Conducting Soloists — Houston Symphony Chorale Jones Hall 2:30  Oilers/Kansas City Chiefs	28 Pre-Curtain Menu PlantationRoom6PM By reservation only  Houston Symphony Sir Charles Groves, Conducting Soloists — Houston Symphony Chorale Jones Hall 8 PM	29	30 Order your Thanksgiving Turkey-to-go. 225-1661	Make your reservations now for The Houston Club Thanksgiving Buffet  Make reservations early (225-1661) for: Dec. 1 Ladies' Luncheon/Choraleers Dec. 3 Children's Christmas Party Dec. 18 Family Feast Dec. 25 Christmas Buffet Dec. 31 New Year's Celebration		Join in the holiday fun at your Houston Club. Call 225-1661 for reservations.

## MUSIC

**Houston Symphony Orchestra**, Jones Hall 615 Louisiana: Michael Tilson Thomas conducting, Dmitri Alekseyev, piano. **November 1**; Sir Charles Groves conducting, Juliana Markova, piano, **November 21, 22**; Sir Charles Groves conducting, soloists, Houston Symphony Chorale, **November 27, 28, 29**. At 8 PM except **November 27**, at 2:30 PM. 224-4240.

**Houston Grand Opera**, Jones Hall, 615 Louisiana: "Arabella" with Kit Te Kanawa, Thomas Stewart, **November 10, 13, 14, 15**; American Series **November 12** with Jeanne Cook. At 8 PM except **November 13**, at 2:30 PM and **November 14**, 7:30 PM. 227-5277.

**Ferrante & Teicher**, Jones Hall, 615 Louisiana: piano duo, **November 19**, 8 PM. A Foley's "Spotlight Special". Tickets Foley's.

**The Shepherd Society Gala of Chamber Music**, Hamman Hall, Rice University: **November 2**, 8:30 PM.

**Canadian violinist Jean-Jacques Kantarow**, Junior League, 1625 Post Oak Park: Presented by Tuesday Musical Club, **November 8**, 8:15 PM.

## THEATRE

**Alley Theatre**, 615 Texas: "Mary Stuart" by Friedrich Schiller, brilliant new dramatization of the 20-year conflict between Mary, Queen of Scots and Elizabeth of England. Through **November 27**, 228-9341.

**Sir Michael Redgrave**, Music Hall, 810 Bagby: One performance, "Shakespeare's People", Saturday, **November 12**, 8 PM. A Foley's "Spotlight Special". Tickets, Foley's.

"Seven Year Itch", Theatre Southwest, 6830 Wilcrest:

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Listings are accurate as received, subject to last minute changes.

Play by George Axelrod, on weekends, **November 11** through **December 3**, 8:30 PM.

"One-Acts by Houston Playwrights", Theatre Suburbia, 1410 West 43rd: On weekends **November 25** through **December 10**, 8:30 PM.

"Katie, Inc.", Main Street Theatre, Autry House, 6265 South Main: Play by Alice and Doug Kilgore, dates to be announced.

## ART

**Museum of Fine Arts**, 1001 Bissonnet: "Rubens in Prints", Andrews Gallery, exhibition of etchings, engravings, and woodcuts by Peter Paul Rubens, through **November 6**. "Learning to Look, Looking to Learn", Masterson Junior Gallery, educational exhibition for children, through **November 20**. "Old Master Prints from the Permanent Collection, Romansky Galleries, selection of 15th through 19th-century prints, through **November 27**. "Contemporary American Photographic Works", Upper Brown Gallery, exhibition of works of fifteen artists in the medium of photography from 1974 to 1977, **November 4** through **December 31**. "Stage Designs and the Russian Avant-Garde (1911-1925)", Andrews Gallery, 127 works by thirty artists of the Russian avant-garde, circulated by the International Exhibitions Foundation, **November 18** through **January 8**, "Archaeology and Photography: Troy", Library Gallery, twenty-five plates from the portfolio "Atlas Trojanisch Alterhumer, photographic illustrations of the excavations of Troy by Dr. Heinrich Schliemann published in the early 1870's, shown as an accompaniment to the Ruth Shurtle Memorial Symposium on archaeology and the arts, **November 11, 12**. Opening dates to be announced. Continuing, "The Collection of John A. and Audrey Jones Beck: Impressionist and Post-Impressionist Paintings", Jones and Masterson Galleries. 526-1361.

**Art League of Houston**, 1953 Montrose: Juried Membership Exhibit, through **November**. 523-9530.

**Contemporary Arts Museum**, 5216 Montrose: Upper gallery, "Antonio Miralda", an exhibition of fantasy foods by New York Artist, through **November 27**; lower gallery, "Shegako", videotapes by New York artist, through **November 27**. 526-3129.

## SPECIAL EVENTS

**Yatran Ukrainian Dance Company**, Music Hall, 810 Bagby: Direct from the Soviet Union, on its first North American tour, award-winning company of 65 dancers, singers, and musicians. Presented by the Society for the Performing Arts. **November 13**, 2:30 PM. 227-1111.

**Eliot Feld Ballet**, Jones Hall, 615 Louisiana: Company of 24 dancers acclaimed as one of America's premiere classical ballets, **November 25, 26**, 8:30 PM. Presented by the Society for the Performing Arts. 227-1111.

**Burke Baker Planetarium**, Museum of Natural Science, 5800 Caroline: "A Sign of Virgo", film, through **November 20**. 526-4273.

## FOOTBALL

## University of Houston Home Games

November 5... Texas ..... Astrodome... 2 PM  
November 19... Texas Tech... Astrodome... 7:30 PM  
November 26... Rice..... Rice Stadium... 2 PM

## Rice University Home Games

November 26..... U.H..... 2 PM  
All games in Rice Stadium

## Houston Oilers Home Games

November 6..... Chicago..... 1 PM  
November 27..... Kansas City..... 1 PM  
All games in the Astrodome

## BASKETBALL

## Houston Rockets Home Games

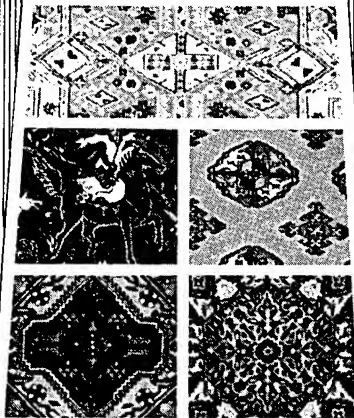
November 3..... Golden State..... 8:05 PM  
November 5..... Washington..... 8:05 PM  
November 10..... Atlanta..... 8:05 PM  
November 12..... Portland..... 8:05 PM  
November 16..... Buffalo..... 8:05 PM  
November 19..... New Orleans..... 8:05 PM  
November 29..... New York Knicks..... 8:05 PM  
All games played in The Summit

## HOCKEY

## Houston Aeros Home Games

November 2..... Birmingham..... 7:30 PM  
November 4..... Quebec..... 7:30 PM  
November 11..... Indianapolis..... 7:30 PM  
November 18..... Quebec..... 7:30 PM  
November 23..... Birmingham..... 7:30 PM  
November 25..... Cincinnati..... 7:30 PM  
November 30..... New England..... 7:30 PM  
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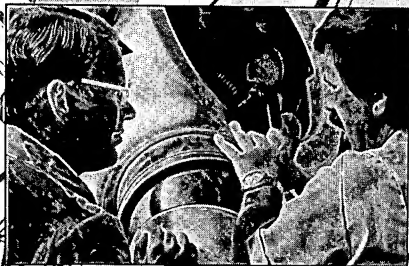


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